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Week of September 4, 2006

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## New Applications

### **2006-086 Northside Hospital-Forsyth**

Increase Inpatient Bed Capacity from 85 Beds to 89 Beds

**Filed: 8/28/2006**

**Site:** 1200 Northside Forsyth Drive, Cumming, GA 30041 (Forsyth County)

**Contact:** Brian J. Toporek Senior Planner 404-851-6821

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

### **2006-087 Southern Regional Medical Center**

Establish Outpatient Imaging Center in Medical Office Building

**Filed: 8/31/2006**

**Site:** 11 Upper Riverdale Road, SW, Riverdale, GA 30274 (Clayton County)

**Contact:** Paul Casbergue 770-991-8141

**Estimated Cost:** \$11,732,818

### **2006-088 Surgery Center at Mt. Zion**

Relocation of Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) to MOB

**Filed: 8/31/2006**

**Site:** 4000 Corporate Center Drive, Morrow, GA 30287 (Clayton County)

**Contact:** Paul Casbergue 770-991-8342

**Estimated Cost:** \$11,053,900

### **2006-089 Joan Glancy Memorial Hospital**

Replace Open MRI Unit

**Filed: 9/5/2006**

**Site:** GA (Gwinnett County)

**Contact:** Mark Mullin 678-442-4193

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,363,355

## Pending Review/Incomplete Applications

### **2006-067 The Woods Assisted Senior Living**

To Expand it's 26 bed PCH to a 40 bed PCH

**Filed: 7/11/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/25/2006**

**Site:** 1401 Old Macon Road, Griffin, GA 30223 (Spalding County)

**Contact:** Ramsey Jennings LLC Member 706-884-5000

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,430,000

### **2006-068 Northside Alpharetta Cancer Treatment Center**

Expand 1st Floor of MOB and add a Linear Accelerator (DTRC)

**Filed: 7/11/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/25/2006**

**Site:** 3400 B Old Milton Parway, Alpharetta, GA 30005 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Fslr L. McCord, MD General Manager 770-350-0126

**Estimated Cost:** \$5,423,734

### **2006-070 Endoscopy Center**

Develop FreeStanding Amb Surg Center Specializing in Gastroenterology

**Filed: 7/14/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/26/2006**

**Site:** 205 Graefe Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)

**Contact:** Carolyn P. Arbuckle Bus. Development Dir. 770-467-6260

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,562,350

### **2006-074 Gwinnett Medical Center**

Construct New Acute Care Patient Tower/ Add 129 Beds to 300 Beds

**Filed: 7/21/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/3/2006**

**Site:** 1000 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville, GA 30045 (Gwinnett County)

**Contact:** Mark M. Mullin 678-442-4193

**Estimated Cost:** \$88,383,039

**2006-076 Gwinnett Medical Center**

Major Renovation of its Existing Surgical Services Suite

**Filed: 7/31/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/11/2006**

**Site:** 1000 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville, GA 30045 (Gwinnett County)

**Contact:**

**Estimated Cost:** \$21,723,366

**2006-077 Southeast Georgia Surgery Center, LLC**

Establish A Freestanding Limited Purpose ASC

**Filed: 8/1/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/15/2006**

**Site:** 210 East DeRenne Avenue, Savannah, GA 31405 (Chatham County)

**Contact:** Michael Kleinpeter CEO 912-644-5370

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,361,775

**2006-079 Peachtree Hills Place**

Development of CCRC/12PCH-Beds, 24 Sheltered Nursing Beds, 274 IL

**Filed: 8/2/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/15/2006**

**Site:** 25 Technology Parkway South, Ste 201, Norcross, GA 30092 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Kevin W. Isakson 770-417-1788

**Estimated Cost:** \$18,259,750

**2006-081 Tanner Medical Center-Villa Rica Mirror Lake Medical Office Building**

Construction of a Two Story Medical Office Building

**Filed: 8/8/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/22/2006**

**Site:** 1980 Mirror Lake Boulevard, Villa Rica, GA 30180 (Carroll County)

**Contact:** Larry Steed, CHE 770-456-3101

**Estimated Cost:** \$4,756,294

**2006-082 The Gardens at Royal Oaks**

Increase PCH Licensed Capacity from 42-Beds to 48-Beds

**Filed: 8/15/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/30/2006**

**Site:** 1220 Broadrick Drive, Dalton, GA 30720 (Whitfield County)

**Contact:** Anne Reagan 770-275-8899

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2006-083 Albany Endoscopy Center, Inc**

Conversion to Limited Purpose Freestanding ASC

**Filed: 8/18/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 8/31/2006**

**Site:** 1009 North Monroe, Albany, GA 31701 (Dougherty County)

**Contact:** Lucille Lott 229-438-8685

**Estimated Cost:** \$10,000

**2006-084 The Stewart House**

Bed Increase

**Filed: 8/21/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 9/1/2006**

**Site:** 102 South Street, Carrollton, GA 30117 (Carroll County)

**Contact:** Melissa Newbern 770-838-0303

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2006-085 Coliseum Same Day Surgery Center**

Addition of One Operating Room

**Filed: 8/22/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 9/6/2006**

**Site:** 340 Hospital Drive, Macon, GA 31217 (Bibb County)

**Contact:** Kay Meadows 478-742-1671

**Estimated Cost:** \$159,000

## Pending Review/Complete Applications

### **2006-038 Endoscopy Center of Columbus, Inc.**

Relocation to New Medical Office Building-Ambulatory Surgery Services

**Filed: 4/25/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 5/9/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/19/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 8/18/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 9/17/2006**

**Site:** 1041 Talbotton Road, Columbus, GA 31904 (Muscogee County)

**Contact:** P.H.Patel, M.D. 706-327-0700

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,380,767

### **2006-044 Georgia Urology Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC**

Relocation of Existing Limited-Purpose Ambulatory Surgery Center

**Filed: 5/10/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 5/24/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/26/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 8/25/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 9/24/2006**

**Site:** 2685 Milscott, Decatur, GA 30030 (DeKalb County)

**Contact:** Jason Shelnett, Administrator 404-275-2221

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,142,254

### **2006-045 Fayette Community Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Fayette Hospital**

Expan. of Cancer Serv/Radiation Therapy/ Purch. LA

**Filed: 5/12/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/8/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 8/7/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 9/6/2006 Extended Deadline: 10/6/2006**

**Site:** 1255 Highway 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)

**Contact:** Davis Dunbar, Mgr Planning 404-605-4565

**Estimated Cost:** \$8,373,119

### **2006-048 The Hospital Authority of Valdosta-Lowndes Cty d/b/a South Georgia Med. Ctr**

Develop a Three-Story Medical Office Building

**Filed: 5/23/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 6/7/2006 Deemed Complete: 7/10/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 9/8/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 10/8/2006**

**Site:** 2501 N. Patterson Street, Valdosta, GA 31602 (Lowndes County)

**Contact:** Jack H. Edwards Chief Planning Officer (229) 259-4107

**Estimated Cost:** \$15,613,707

### **2006-049 Summer's Landing of Warner Robins**

Expansion of Existing PCH Facility/ Add 28 Beds

**Filed: 5/24/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 6/8/2006 Deemed Complete: 7/24/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 9/22/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 10/22/2006**

**Site:** 600 South Kimberly Road, Warner Robins, GA 31088 (Houston County)

**Contact:** Kim Pitsenbarger, Director (478) 328-3800

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,500,000

### **2006-050 The Rosewood at Fort Oglethorpe**

Expansion of Services /Add 10 PCH Beds

**Filed: 5/24/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 6/8/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/20/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 8/19/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 9/18/2006**

**Site:** 14 Fort Town Drive, Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742 (Catoosa County)

**Contact:** Jason Gibson, Executive Director (706) 866-4884

**Estimated Cost:** \$6,000

### **2006-052 Henry Medical Center**

Purchase and Install a New GE Healthcare LightSpeed V CT 64-slice

**Filed: 6/1/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/13/2006**

**60th Day Deadline:** 8/12/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 9/11/2006  
**Site:** 1133 Eagle's Landing Parkway, Stockbridge, GA 30281 (Henry County)  
**Contact:** Lee Echols, Chief Operating Officer (770) 389-2240  
**Estimated Cost:** \$2,388,920

**2006-053 Stephens County Hospital**  
Renovation of Patient Rooms in the Medical & Surgical Clinical Areas  
**Filed:** 6/7/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 6/21/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 8/20/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 9/19/2006  
**Site:** 2003 Falls Road, Toccoa, GA 30577 (Stephens County)  
**Contact:** Ed Grambell, Administrator 706-282-4250  
**Estimated Cost:** \$4,492,178

**2006-055 Southern Regional Medical Center**  
Expansion of Imaging Services  
**Filed:** 6/12/2006 **Deemed Incomplete:** 6/23/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 7/6/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 9/4/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 10/4/2006  
**Site:** 11 Upper Riverdale Road, Riverdale, GA 30274 (Clayton County)  
**Contact:** Paul Casbergue VP, Planning and Development 770-991-8141  
**Estimated Cost:** \$5,124,223

**2006-056 Regency Hospital Riverside**  
Develop and Operate a New 60-bed Freestanding Long Term Acute Care Hop  
**Filed:** 6/13/2006 **Deemed Incomplete:** 6/26/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 7/5/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 9/3/506  
**Decision Deadline:** 10/3/506  
**Site:** 2320 Riverside Drive, Macon, GA 31204 (Bibb County)  
**Contact:** Teresa Johnston Dir of Planning & Development 770-777-2601  
**Estimated Cost:** \$11,476,790

**2006-057 Lenbrook Square Foundation, Inc. d/b/a LenBrook**  
Replacement of 60 beds & add 142 new living units to 225 living units  
**Filed:** 6/14/2006 **Deemed Incomplete:** 6/28/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 7/14/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 9/12/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 10/12/2006  
**Site:** 3747 Peachtree Raod NE, Atlanta, GA 30319 (Fulton County)  
**Contact:** Deborah "Debbie" E. Taylor President/CEO 404-233-3000  
**Estimated Cost:** \$12,725,592

**2006-058 Regency Hospital of Midtown Atlanta**  
Develop and Operate a 50 Bed Freestanding Long Term Acute Hospital  
**Filed:** 6/14/2006 **Deemed Incomplete:** 6/28/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 7/5/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 9/3/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 10/3/2006  
**Site:** 345 Boulevard, NE, Atlanta, GA 30312 (Fulton County)  
**Contact:** Teresa Johnston Dir of Planning and Development 770-777-2601  
**Estimated Cost:** \$10,894,811

**2006-060 Northside Hospital-Forsyth**  
To Develop Adult Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Service  
**Filed:** 6/20/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 6/29/2006  
**60th Day Deadline:** 8/28/2006  
**Decision Deadline:** 9/27/2006  
**Site:** 1200 Northside Forsyth Drive, Cumming, GA 30041 (Forsyth County)  
**Contact:** Brian J. Toporek, Senior Planner 404-303-3524  
**Estimated Cost:** \$969,902

**2006-061 Park Place Manor**

Replacement PCH Facility for Existing 125 bed PCH

**Filed: 6/21/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/5/2006 Deemed Complete: 7/21/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 9/19/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 10/19/2006**

**Site:** 2180 Northlake Parkway, Tucker, GA 30084 (DeKalb County)

**Contact:** Farhad Amarsi Managing Partner 404-429-1499

**Estimated Cost:** \$8,901,350

**2006-062 Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Athens Regional Medical Center**

Construct a New 3 Story Bldg Renovate Fac. Add 44 new inpatient beds

**Filed: 6/21/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 6/29/2006 Deemed Complete: 7/10/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 9/8/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 10/8/2006**

**Site:** 1199 Prince Avenue, Athens, GA 30606 (Clarke County)

**Contact:** W. Larry Webb Senior Vice-Pres., CFO 706-475-6775

**Estimated Cost:** \$68,269,230

**2006-063 Northside/Alpharetta Surgery Center**

To Establish a Multi-Specialty Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Center

**Filed: 7/5/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/19/2006 Deemed Complete: 7/31/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 9/29/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 10/29/2006**

**Site:** 3400-A Old Milton Parkway, Alpharetta, GA 30005 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Brian J. Toporek Senior Planner 404-303-3524

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,418,550

**2006-064 Piedmont Hospital, Inc.**

Relocate/Expand the Post Anesthesia Unit Add 2 Inpatient ORs

**Filed: 7/10/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/20/2006 Deemed Complete: 8/11/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 10/10/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 11/9/2006**

**Site:** 1968 Peachtree Road, NW, Atlanta, GA 30309 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Davis Dunbar 404-609-6724

**Estimated Cost:** \$23,728,908

**2006-065 WellStar Paulding Surgery Center**

The Development of a Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Center

**Filed: 7/11/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/25/2006 Deemed Complete: 8/24/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 10/23/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 11/22/2006**

**Site:** SW Corner of Hwy 278 and West Hiram Pky, Hiram, GA 30141 (Paulding County)

**Contact:** Marsha Burke President 770-792-5023

**Estimated Cost:** \$7,924,525

**2006-066 Lee County Surgery Center**

Development of Freestanding Multi-Specialty Ambulatory Surgery Center

**Filed: 7/11/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/25/2006 Deemed Complete: 8/10/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 10/9/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 11/8/2006**

**Site:** Old Leesburg Road Highway 19, Leesburg, GA 31763 (Lee County)

**Contact:** Bud Wethington CEO 229-434-2101

**Estimated Cost:** \$9,270,332

**2006-069 Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Egleston**

To Expand and Relocate Pediatric ICU and Increase 250 beds to 255 beds

**Filed: 7/13/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 7/27/2006 Deemed Complete: 8/9/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 10/8/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 11/7/2006**

**Site:** 1405 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30322 (DeKalb County)  
**Contact:** David R. Tatum Chief Public Policy Office 404-787-7556  
**Estimated Cost:** \$10,251,131

**2006-071 University Hospital**

Cost Overrun (04-116) Expansion and Renovation of Facility

**Filed:** 7/18/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 8/1/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 9/30/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 10/30/2006

**Site:** 1350 Walton Way, Augusta, GA 30901 (Richmond County)

**Contact:** David Henderson Senior Consultant 706-828-2454

**Estimated Cost:** \$93,600,000

**2006-072 Effingham Hospital Imaging Center**

To Establish a Multi-Modality Outpatient Imaging Ctr w/ CT & MRI

**Filed:** 7/18/2006 **Deemed Incomplete:** 8/1/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 9/5/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 11/4/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 12/4/2006

**Site:** Hwy 21 & Goshen Road, Rincon, GA (Effingham County)

**Contact:** Norma Jean Mrogan Chief Exec Officer 912-754-0160

**Estimated Cost:** \$6,494,010

**2006-073 Walton Rehabilitation Hospital**

Renovation of Facility

**Filed:** 7/20/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 8/3/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 10/2/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 11/1/2006

**Site:** 1355 Independence Drive, Augusta, GA 30901 (Richmond County)

**Contact:** Dennis B. Skelley CEO/President 706-724-7746

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,377,084

**2006-075 The Specialty Hospital, Inc.**

Construct 45-Bed Free Standing LongTerm Acute Care Hospital (LTAC)

**Filed:** 7/28/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 8/11/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 10/10/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 11/9/2006

**Site:** 420 East Second Avenue, Suite 103, Rome, GA 30161 (Floyd County)

**Contact:** Mark Fall CEO of SHFMC 706-509-4152

**Estimated Cost:** \$20,882,483

**2006-078 Floyd Medical Center**

Conversion Private/Semi-Private Bed Beds to 22 Private Bed Beds

**Filed:** 8/2/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 8/16/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 10/15/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 11/14/2006

**Site:** 304 Turner McCall Boulevard, Rome, GA 30162 (Floyd County)

**Contact:** Alison Land Director of Planning 706-509-3258

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,500,000

**2006-080 Tift Regional Medical Center**

DTRC To Purchase A .35T Open MRI System

**Filed:** 8/3/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 8/17/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 10/16/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 11/15/2006

**Site:** 901 East 18th Street, Tifton, GA 31793 (Tift County)

**Contact:** Douglas Hurt 229-386-6107

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,280,138

## Pending Review Complete/Joined Applications

### **2006-034 Henry Medical Center**

Establish Rad Ther Services/Purchase Medical Equip (Joined 46,51)

**Filed: 4/11/2006 Deemed Incomplete: 4/25/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/3/2006**

**Joined: 6/1/2006 60th Day Deadline: 7/31/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/30/2006 Extended Deadline: 9/29/2006**

**Site:** 1133 Eagle's Landing Parkway, Stockbridge, GA 30281 (Henry County)

**Contact:** Lee Echols, Chief Operating Officer 770-389-2240

**Estimated Cost:** \$9,282,540

### **2006-036 Acworth Imaging, LLC**

Develop Freestanding Outpatient Imag Cntr/ Purch MRI & CT (Joined 47)

**Filed: 4/19/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/4/2006**

**Joined: 6/2/2006 60th Day Deadline: 8/1/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/31/2006 Extended Deadline: 9/30/2006**

**Site:** Lot 2, The Market at Governors Club, Acworth, GA 30101 (Cobb County)

**Contact:** Michael Curtis, V.P. of Development 678-762-5005

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,636,300

### **2006-046 Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care**

Develop a Freestanding Radiation Therapy Center (Joined 34,51)

**Filed: 5/16/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2006**

**Joined: 6/1/2006 60th Day Deadline: 7/31/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/30/2006 Extended Deadline: 9/29/2006**

**Site:** Commercial Drive (currently Lot #5), McDonough, GA 30253 (Henry County)

**Contact:** Dr. Dale McCord, Manager 770-350-0126

**Estimated Cost:** \$5,717,621

### **2006-047 WellStar Kennestone Hospital Acworth Imaging Center**

New Outpatient Facility and Expansion of Services (Joined 36)

**Filed: 5/22/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/2/2006**

**Joined: 6/2/2006 60th Day Deadline: 8/1/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/31/2006 Extended Deadline: 9/30/2006**

**Site:** Acworth, GA 30101 (Cobb County)

**Contact:** Caroline Aultman Director of Strategic Planning (770) 792-1599

**Estimated Cost:** \$14,144,602

### **2006-051 Northlake Cancer Treatment Center**

Relocation of Cancer Treatment Ctr (Joined 34,46) DTRC

**Filed: 5/30/2006 Deemed Complete: 6/1/2006**

**Joined: 6/1/2006 60th Day Deadline: 7/31/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/30/2006 Extended Deadline: 9/29/2006**

**Site:** Lithonia, GA 30358 (DeKalb County)

**Contact:** Dale L. McCord, MD President (770) 512-8937

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,271,860

## Recently Approved Applications

### **2005-099 Healthfield of Southwest Georgia**

Establish New Home Hlth Agency SSDR 10 - Batching (Joined 93-98, 100)

**Remanded: 8/10/2006**

**Joined: 11/21/2005**

**Decision Deadline: 8/25/2006**

**APPROVED: 8/25/2006**

**Site:** GA (Mitchell County)

**Contact:** Robert Radics, Regional Administrator 770-951-6100

**Estimated Cost:** \$27,456

**2006-041 Dalray Diamond, LLC d/b/a Great Oaks**

Expansion of PCH/Increase Licensed Bed Capacity by 110

**Filed: 5/1/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/15/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 7/14/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/13/2006**

**APPROVED: 8/11/2006**

**Site:** 920 Hwy 138, monroe, GA 30655 (Walton County)

**Contact:** Melinda M. Dally, Administrator 770-267-7902 ext.103

**Estimated Cost:** \$5,368,700

**2006-042 Henry Medical Center**

Cost Overrun/Expansion and Renovation of Existing Facility (02-117)

**Filed: 5/3/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/17/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 7/16/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/15/2006**

**APPROVED: 8/14/2006**

**Site:** 1133 Eagle's Landing Parkway, Stockbridge, GA 30281 (Henry County)

**Contact:** Lee Echols, Chief Operating Officer 770-389-2240

**Estimated Cost:** \$5,050,247

**2006-043 Newton Medical Center**

Expansion of Emergency Department/Relocation of Laboratory Department

**Filed: 5/5/2006 Deemed Complete: 5/19/2006**

**60th Day Deadline: 7/18/2006**

**Decision Deadline: 8/17/2006**

**APPROVED: 8/17/2006**

**Site:** 5126 Hospital Drive, NE, Covington, GA 30014 (Newton County)

**Contact:** Troy Brooks, Assistant Administrator 770-385-4426

**Estimated Cost:** \$7,798,736

## **Recently Denied Applications**

**2005-093 Amedisys Home Health of Southwest Georgia**

Establish New Home Health Agency - SSDR 10 - Batching (Joined 94-100)

**Remanded: 8/10/2006**

**Joined: 11/21/2005**

**Decision Deadline: 8/25/2006**

**DENIED: 8/25/2006**

**Site:** 616 3rd Avenue, Moultrie, GA 31768 (Colquitt County)

**Contact:** Jeffrey Jeter, Esq 225-292-2031

**Estimated Cost:** \$178,000

**2005-094 TriStar Healthcare, Inc. d/b/a TriStar Home Health**

Establish New Home Hlth Agency SSDR 10 - Batching (Joined 93, 95-100)

**Remanded: 8/10/2006**

**Joined: 11/21/2005**

**Decision Deadline: 8/25/2006**

**DENIED: 8/25/2006**

**Site:** 2809 Lassiter Road, Suite 200, Marietta, GA 30062 (Cobb County)

**Contact:** Barbara L. Rasmussen 770-331-8719

**Estimated Cost:** \$55,000

**2005-095 Archbold Health Services, Inc. d/b/a Archbold Home Health Services**

Expand Home Hlth Service Area SSDR 10- Batching (Joined 93-94, 96-100)

**Remanded: 8/10/2006**

**Joined: 11/21/2005**

**Decision Deadline: 8/25/2006**

**DENIED: 8/25/2006**

**Site:** 400 Old Albany Road, P.O.Box 620, Thomasville, GA 31792 (Thomas County)

**Contact:** W. Clay Campbell 229-228-2200  
**Estimated Cost:** \$40,000

**2005-096 Colquitt Regional Health, Inc. d/b/a Colquitt Regional Home Care Services**

Expand Home Hlth Service Area SSDR 10-Batching (Joined 93-95, 97-100)

**Remanded:** 8/10/2006

**Joined:** 11/21/2005

**Decision Deadline:** 8/25/2006

**DENIED:** 8/25/2006

**Site:** 2516 Fifth Avenue, SE, Moultrie, GA 31768 (Colquitt County)

**Contact:** James R. Lowry 229-985-3420

**Estimated Cost:** \$40,000

**2005-098 Visiting Nurses Association of Southwest Georgia**

Expand Home Hlth Service Area SSDR 10-Batching (Joined 93-97, 99-100)

**Remanded:** 8/10/2006

**Joined:** 11/21/2005

**Decision Deadline:** 8/25/2006

**DENIED:** 8/25/2006

**Site:** 1323 East Shotwell Street, Bainbridge, GA 39818 (Decatur County)

**Contact:** Amy Ferry, RN, Administrator 229-246-6462

**Estimated Cost:** \$60,000

## Applications Withdrawn by Applicant

**2006-031 Peach Regional Medical Center**

Construct a Replacement Hospital/ Purchase MRI

**Filed:** 3/28/2006 **Deemed Complete:** 4/11/2006

**60th Day Deadline:** 6/10/2006

**Decision Deadline:** 7/10/2006 **Extended Deadline:** 8/9/2006

**WITHDRAWN:** 8/9/2006

**Site:** 601 Bluebird Boulevard, Fort Valley, GA 31030 (Peach County)

**Contact:** Nancy Peed, CEO 478-825-8691

**Estimated Cost:** \$24,136,168

## Applications Withdrawn by Department

none

## Appealed CON Projects

**2004-022 N.Atlanta Diagnostic and Cardiovascular Center d/b/a Global Diagnostic,LLC (Fulton)**

Establishment of Diagnostic Imaging Service

**Agency Decision:** Approved 8/31/2004.

**Appealed By:** Northside Hospital, 9/3/2004 and Diagnostic Imaging of Atlanta, 9/3/2004.

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin Goldstein

**Hearing Date:** Hearing held 11/15-17/2004.

**Hearing Decision:** In his final decision on 2/18/2005, the Hearing Officer ordered that Global Diagnostic be granted a CON. Diagnostic Imaging of Atlanta filed objections to Hearing Officer's decision, 3/21/05. Northside Hospital filed objections to Hearing Officer's decision, 3/23/05. Due to scheduling difficulties, Review Board Vice-Chair granted an extension for the initial time period for review, 4/7/2005. Arguments before full Review Board scheduled for 5/13/2005 at 10:00 am.

**Review Board Decision:** Arguments before full Review Board was held on 5/13/2005. Review Board issued an Order on 5/25/2005 adopting the Hearing Officer's decision and affirming the Department's decision to issue a CON to Global.

**Appealed to Superior Court:** Diagnostic Imaging of Atlanta appealed the Review Board's decision to the Superior Court, 6/24/2005.

**Superior Court Decision:** Superior Court issues order reversing the Department's decision to grant a CON to Global, 11/30/2005.

**Appealed to Appeals Court:** The Department has petitioned the Court of Appeals for discretionary appeal of the Superior Court's order, 12/30/2005. The Court of Appeals accepts the Department's discretionary appeal petition, 1/24/2006. Appellants' Briefs due on 5/17/2006; Appellees' Briefs due on 6/06/2006. Oral arguments before the Court of Appeals are set in this case for Thursday, 9/21/2006 at 9:45 am and will take place at Mercer University Law Schools's Moot Courtroom in Macon.

**Additional Information:** Petitions for judicial review will be heard before Judge Tuscan on 11/18/2005 at 10:30 am. Oral argument will be 30 minutes for each party.

#### **2004-060 Northside Hospital - Cherokee (Cherokee)**

Establishment of Adult Cardiac Catheterization Services

**Agency Decision:** Approved 12/30/2004

**Appealed By:** Piedmont Hospital requested hearing in opposition, 1/27/2005.

**Hearing Officer:** William Joy

**Hearing Date:** Hearing originally scheduled for 7/26-28/2005 to be re-scheduled, date pending. Hearing scheduled 9/20-22/2005. Hearing held, Hearing Officer Order pending.

**Hearing Decision:** By order dated 11/10/2005, Hearing Officer affirms Department's decision to grant a CON to Northside Hospital-Cherokee. Piedmont files specific objections to the hearing officer decision and requests oral arguments before the Review Board, 12/8/2005. Review Board meeting scheduled for 1/9/2006 at 11:00 am. Review Board meeting postponed and extension of time period issued. Meeting re-scheduled to 2/6/2006 at 11:00 a.m.

**Review Board Decision:** 2/16/2006, Review Board affirms the decision of the Hearing Officer to grant a CON to Northside-Cherokee.

**Appealed to Superior Court:** Piedmont Hospital files Petition for Judicial Review on March 17, 2006, in Superior Court of Fulton County. Hearing scheduled for Wednesday, September 5, 2006, at 10:30 a.m. in Courtroom 4-D, Superior Court of Fulton County.

**Superior Court Decision:** Judge Baxter issues order from Bench affirming the decision of the Review Board to affirm the grant of a CON to Northside Hospital-Cherokee, 9/5/2006.

#### **2005-035 Coastal Behavioral Health (Chatham)**

To Establish Free-Standing Inpatient Hospital for Adult Psych. Care

**Agency Decision:** Denied, 10/12/2005

**Appealed By:** Applicant, 11/2/2005

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood Oakley

**Hearing Date:** Hearing scheduled to begin Monday, 2/20/2006 at 9:00 am. Hearing date re-scheduled to 2/27-3/1/2006. Hearing date postponed. New date to be determined. Hearing scheduled for 4/17-4/19/2006. Hearing continued, new date to be determined. Hearing scheduled 9/11-12/2006, at 9 am.

#### **2005-038 Hughston Surgical Institute, LLC (Muscogee)**

New LP-ASC Facility

**Agency Decision:** Denied, 10/14/2005

**Appealed By:** Applicant, 11/1/2005.

**Hearing Officer:** William Joy

**Hearing Date:** Hearing tentatively scheduled for 4/12/2006-4/14/2006 at 10 am.

**Hearing Decision:** Hearing Officer affirms the decision of the Department of Community Health to deny a Certificate of Need to Hughston Surgical Institute. Hughston files request for oral argument before the Health Planning Review Board. 8/7/2006. Review Board extends timeframe and schedules meeting for September 25, 2006, at 11am.

**Additional Information:** 11/10/2005, The Surgery Center, LLC, requests to intervene. Hughston requests motion to remand, 12/16/2005. Hearing on Motion to Remand scheduled for 2/6/2006 at 2:00pm in the 40th floor Board Room. Motion to Remand denied by Hearing Officer, 2/15/2006.

#### **2005-073 Radiotherapy Clinics of Georgia (DeKalb)**

Development of Radiation Therapy Center

**Agency Decision:** Denied, 3/8/2006

**Appealed By:** Applicant, 3/22/2006; Preston Ridge Radiation Center, Inc. d/b/a Northlake Cancer Treatment Center seeks to intervene in the hearing, 3/28/2006. Department files motion for partial summary judgment, 6/14/2006. Piedmont Fayette Hospital requests to intervene, 6/15/2006.

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** Hearing date set for 8/29-30/2006. Hearing to continue 9/6-7/2006.

**2005-093 Amedisys Home Health of Southwest Georgia (Colquitt)**

**2005-094 TriStar Healthcare, Inc. d/b/a TriStar Home Health (Cobb)**

**2005-095 Archbold Health Services, Inc. d/b/a Archbold Home Health Services (Thomas)**

**2005-096 Colquitt Regional Health, Inc. d/b/a Colquitt Home Care Services (Colquitt)**

**2005-098 Visiting Nurses Association of Southwest Georgia (Decatur)**

**2005-099 Healthfield of Southwest Georgia, Inc. (Mitchell)**

Establish New Home Health Agency - SDDR 10 - Batching

**Agency Decision:** TriStar and Healthfield, approved, 3/20/2006; Amedisys, Archbold, Colquitt, and VNA, denied, 3/20/2006

**Appealed By:** Amedisys, Archbold, Colquitt, and VNA request initial administrative hearing in opposition to the approval of Healthfield and TriStar and to appeal the denial of each of their applications, 4/19/2006.

**Hearing Officer:** William Joy, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** Hearing date set for 8/15-17/2006. Hearing Date Postponed. Hearing Officer issues Order to Remand decision back to the Department for additional consideration, 8/10/2006. Remand decision issued 8/25/2006.

**2005-127 Vidalia Regional Cancer Center, LLC (Toombs)**

**2006-009 Satilla Regional Cancer Treatment Center d/b/a The Vidalia Cancer Group**

Develop Radiation Therapy Serv/Purchase LA

**Agency Decision:** denied, 5/10/2006.

**Appealed By:** Applicant, 5/17/2006. Satilla Regional Cancer Treatment Center appeals its denial and intervenes in hearing requested by VRCC, 6/2/2006. Hearing scheduled for 9/26/2006 at 9 am. Satilla Regional makes motion for remand, 8/29/2006. VRCC makes motion for summary adjudication, 8/25/2006. Hearing Date postponed. New date to be determined.

**Hearing Officer:** Sabrina R. Scott, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** 9/26/2006

**2006-010 Northside Hospital-Forsyth (Forsyth)**

Constr Womens Ctr/Level 2 Maternity Serv/Incr 7-Beds

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 5/16/2006.

**Appealed By:** Chestatee Regional Hospital, North Fulton Regional Hospital, and Emory Dunwoody Medical Center request initial administrative hearing in opposition to the approval, 6/13/2006, 6/14/2006, and 6/15/2006 respectively. Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq. is assigned as Hearing Officer, 7/5/2006.

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood Oakley, III, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** Hearing scheduled for 10/2-4/2006 at 9 am.

**2006-012 Chestatee Regional Hospital (Lumpkin)**

Renovate ICU & Outpatient Surgical Services

**Agency Decision:** approved, 7/19/2006.

**Appealed By:** Northside Hospital - Forsyth requests initial administrative hearing in opposition to the approval, 8/14/2006.

**Hearing Officer:** Walter Van Heiningen

**Hearing Date:** TBD

## Appealed Determinations

**1995-092-CAN Southern Crescent Rehabilitation & Retirement Center**

Requested hearing on 10/26/2004 for the purpose of contesting a Notice of Cancellation issued by the Department. Hearing Officer is Walter Van Heiningen. Hearing scheduled 9/13/2005. Hearing held 9/13/2005. 11/7/2005, Hearing Officer issues decision affirming the Department's cancellation of Applicant's CON. Southern Crescent files petition for judicial review on 12/5/2005. Southern Crescent requests Commissioner Review of Hearing Officer's initial determination. 2/16/2006, the Office of the

Commissioner issues a Final Administrative Order upholding the findings of the hearing officer. Southern Crescent files petition for judicial review 5/16/2006.

**DET-2003-020-CAN Piedmont Hospital-Fayette Community Hospital**

Requested hearing on 11/12/2004 to contest cancellation of Determination Letter of 2/13/2003. Hearing Officer is Ellwood Oakley. Hearing scheduled for 3/7/2005 at 9:00 am. Hearing postponed. New hearing date pending.

**ICC-2005-002 Southern Plantation of Ga., Inc.**

Requested hearing to contest monetary penalty which the Department imposed due to a shortfall in the indigent and charity care commitment, June 20, 2005. Sabrina R. Scott is Hearing Officer.

**LNR-ASC-2005011 Specialty Spine Intervention Center, PC**

2/27/2006, Specialty Spine Intervention Center, PC requests administrative hearing pursuant to the APA regarding the denial of its request for letter of non-reviewability to establish a physician owned, single specialty, office-based ambulatory surgery center. 3/8/2006, Clifford M. Weiss, Esq. is appointed as the Hearing Officer. Hearing scheduled for 06/14-15/2006. Hearing rescheduled to 8/23-24/2006.

**LNR-EQT-2005-014 The Emory Clinic, Inc.**

3/1/2006, The Emory Clinic, Inc. requests administrative hearing pursuant to the APA regarding the denial of its request for letter of non-reviewability to acquire laser vision correction equipment and regarding a Cease and Desist order related to such equipment. 3/8/2006, Walter Van Heiningen, Esq. is appointed as the Hearing Officer. Vision Correction Group, Inc. d/b/a InView files Motion to Intervene, March 27, 2006. Vision Correction Group, Inc. is permitted to intervene by Hearing Officer Order dated 4/20/2006.

**DET-2005-010 Surgery Center of Columbia County, LLP**

4/6/2006, Surgery Center of Columbia County, LLP files request for administrative hearing pursuant to the APA regarding an adverse determination from the Department. 6/2/2006, Melvin Goldstein, Esq. is assigned as Hearing Officer.

## **Requests for LNR for Establishment of Physician-Owned Ambulatory Surgery Facilities**

**LNR-ASC-2006-006 Thomasville Orthopedic Center, PC**

Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center

**Site:** 313-B Smith Avenue, Thomasville, Georgia 31799

**Number of OR's:** 2      **Specialty:** Orthopedics

**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 4

**Project costs as submitted:** \$1,303,216.00

**Request received:** 3/16/2006

**Contact Person:** Brenda J. Fletcher (229) 226-9141

**Determination:** Pending      **Determination Date:**

**LNR-ASC-2006-009 Houston Orthopaedic Surgery and Sports Medicine, PC**

Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center

**Site:** 3051 Watson Boulevard, Warner Robins, Georgia 31093

**Number of OR's:** 2      **Specialty:** Orthopaedics

**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 6

**Project costs as submitted:** \$1,520,691.88

**Request received:** 6/15/2006

**Contact Person:** Daniel J. Mohan, Esq. (404) 504-7610

**Determination:** Pending      **Determination Date:**

**LNR-ASC-2006-010 Consultants in Pain Medicine, LLC**

Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center

**Site:** 303 Harris Industrial Boulevard, Vidalia, Toombs County, Georgia

**Number of OR's:** 1      **Specialty:** Pain Medicine

**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 1  
**Project costs as submitted:** \$428,180.00  
**Request received:** 7/27/2006  
**Contact Person:** Everette Jenkins (678) 625-4720  
**Determination:** Letter Issued **Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**LNR-ASC-2006-011 Retina Consultants, PC d/b/a The Retina Eye Center**  
Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center  
**Site:** 3520 Walton Way Extension, Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia 30909  
**Number of OR's:** 1 **Specialty:** Ophthalmology  
**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 2  
**Project costs as submitted:** \$1,538,000  
**Request received:** 8/11/2006  
**Contact Person:** Roger A. Cochran, PHD (770) 698-0415  
**Determination:** Pending **Determination Date:**

**LNR-ASC-2006-012 Atlanta Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic Center**  
Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center  
**Site:** 3200 Downwood Circle, Suite 500, Atlanta, Georgia  
**Number of OR's:** 3 **Specialty:** Orthopedics  
**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 4  
**Project costs as submitted:** \$1,499,139.96  
**Request received:** 8/15/2006  
**Contact Person:** Clyde Reese, III, Esq. (404) 658-6088  
**Determination:** Pending **Determination Date:**

**LNR-ASC-2006-013 Dr. Jon T. Middleton, DPM, PC**  
Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center  
**Site:** 679 Hospital Road, Commerce, Georgia 30529  
**Number of OR's:** 1 **Specialty:** Podiatry  
**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 1  
**Project costs as submitted:** \$279,025.00  
**Request received:** 8/22/2006  
**Contact Person:** Steven W. Greenberg (770) 599-8888  
**Determination:** Pending **Determination Date:**

**LNR-ASC-2006-014 Cartersville OB/GYN Associates, PC**  
Establish a physician-owned, single specialty, ambulatory surgery center  
**Site:** 958-A Joe Frank Harris Parkway, Cartersville, Georgia  
**Number of OR's:** 2 **Specialty:** OB/GYN  
**Physician(s) authorization requested:** 1  
**Project costs as submitted:** \$976,408.00  
**Request received:** 8/23/2006  
**Contact Person:** Everette Jenkins (678) 625-4720  
**Determination:** Pending **Determination Date:**

## **Requests for LNR for Diagnostic or Therapeutic Equipment**

**LNR-EQT 2006-016 Royston Diagnostic Center, LLC, Royston, Franklin County, Ge**  
Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE Medical Systems 0.35T Signa Ovation MRI unit for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center  
**Request Received:** 5/31/2006  
**Contact Person:** Richard L. Gray (706) 354-1036  
**Determination:** Pending **Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-019 Phoebe Worth Medical Center, Sylvester, Worth County, Georgia**  
Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE BrightSpeed Excel CT Scanner for hospital use

**Request Received:** 6/12/2006

**Contact Person:** Lori Jenkins (229) 312-1432

**Determination:** Letter Issued

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**LNR-EQT 2006-021 Outpatient Imaging, LLC, Newnan, Coweta County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE Medical Systems 2002 GoldSeal 1.5T HiSpeed LX MRI Scanner for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 6/27/2006

**Contact Person:** Holly Sailors (770) 834-0751

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-022 Diagnostic Systems of Georgia, LLC, Rome, Floyd County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE Medical Systems LightSpeed 16 CT scanner for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 7/21/2006

**Contact Person:** Richard L. Gray (706) 354-1036

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-023 Augusta Oncology Associates, PC, Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE Medical Healthcare Gold Series LightSpeed Qx/I with Xtream CT Scanner, a GE Proteus XR/A Radiographic System, and a GE Healthcare Solo Plate CR Package for use in practice-based imaging

**Request Received:** 7/25/2006

**Contact Person:** Michael P. Britain, CHE (404) 847-0100

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-024 Boland Women's Imaging, Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE Healthcare Senographe Essential Digital Mammography System, a GE Healthcare Prodigy Pro Full Bone Densitometer, and an Acuson Antares Ultrasound System for use in practice-based imaging

**Request Received:** 7/26/2006

**Contact Person:** Clyde L. Reese, III, Esq. (404) 658-6088

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-025 Kennestone Hospital, Inc. d/b/a WellStar Kennestone Hospital, Mariette, Cobb County, Geo**

Request to acquire by operational lease a fixed-based Gulf Coast Hyperbarics 8-person hyperbaric oxygen chamber for use as hospital-based service

**Request Received:** 8/1/2006

**Contact Person:** Deborah L. Pesta (770) 792-1541

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-026 Urology Associates, PC, Marietta, Cobb County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by capital lease a fixed-based Siemens Sonotom 4 Slice Volume Zoom CT Scanner for use in practice-based imaging

**Request Received:** 8/3/2006

**Contact Person:** N. Phillip Bennett (770) 428-3995

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-027 Cowles Clinic Services, LLC, Greensboro, Greene County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by operational lease a fixed-based Toshiba Aquilion 32 Fast Whole Body CT Scanner for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 8/7/2006

**Contact Person:** Bruce L. Kirby, CEO (706) 454-0027

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-028 Cartersville Diagnostic Center, LLC, Cartersville, Bartow County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based GE LightSpeed Plus CT Scanner for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 8/11/2006

**Contact Person:** Richard L. Gray (706) 354-1036

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-029 Ear Nose and Throat Clinic of Coffee County, Douglas, Coffee County, Georgia**  
Request to acquire by capital lease a fixed-based Aperio NewTom 3G 12" CT Scanner for use in practice-based imaging

**Request Received:** 8/16/2006

**Contact Person:** Jeffrey L. Silveira, MD (912) 384-2200

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-030 Reed Imaging Services, LLC, Cartersville, Bartow County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by capital lease a fixed-based Picker Eclipse MRI Scanner and a free-standing Picker PQ5000 CT scanner for use in freestanding multi-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 8/31/2006

**Contact Person:** Michael D. Reed, MD (770) 386-4347

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-031 All-Lee, LLC, Albany, Dougherty County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based General Electric HiSpeed CT/I CT Scanner for use in practice-based imaging

**Request Received:** 9/6/2006

**Contact Person:** Alan Moree (229) 438-7100

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**LNR-EQT 2006-032 Elite MRI of Laurens, LLC, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia**

Request to acquire by purchase a fixed-based Hitachi Airis Elite Open Permanent Magnet System for use in freestanding single-modality imaging center

**Request Received:** 9/7/2006

**Contact Person:** Lou Paladino (843) 449-9962

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

## **Requests for Miscellaneous Letters of Determination**

**DET-2006-026 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc., Atlanta, Fulton County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of radiation therapy/radiosurgery equipment

**Request Received:** 5/10/2006

**Contact Person:** Douglas Holbrook (404) 851-5933

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-036 Memorial Health University Medical Center, Inc., Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding grandfathering of stereotactic radiosurgical services

**Request Received:** 6/21/2006

**Contact Person:** Joseph R. Ross, Esq. (912) 350-5159

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-037 Cobb Center for Radiation Therapy, Inc., Austell, Cobb County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of existing linear accelerator

**Request Received:** 6/23/2006

**Contact Person:** J. Warner Ray, MD (770) 994-1650

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-038 Institute for Radiation Therapy, Inc., Riverdale, Clayton County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of existing linear accelerator

**Request Received:** 6/23/2006

**Contact Person:** J. Warner Ray, MD (770) 994-1650

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-039 West Georgia Health System, LaGrange, Troup County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding upgrade of existing cardiac cath equipment

**Request Received:** 6/23/2006

**Contact Person:** Carol Todd, Esq. (706) 845-3703

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-040 Joan Glancy Memorial Hospital, Duluth, Gwinnett County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of CT scanner

**Request Received:** 6/26/2006

**Contact Person:** Mark M. Mullin (770) 682-2280

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-041 Gwinnett Medical Center, Lawrenceville, Gwinnett County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of CT scanner

**Request Received:** 6/26/2006

**Contact Person:** Mark M. Mullin (770) 682-2280

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-042 St. Joseph's Hospital, Inc., Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding capital expenditures and operational arrangements related to addition of two hospital outpatient ORs in hospital campus MOB

**Request Received:** 6/29/2006

**Contact Person:** Leonard J. Panzitta (912) 236-5833

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-043 CareSouth HHA Holdings of Georgia, Inc., Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia  
Central Georgia Health System, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding transfer of Pike County from authorized home health service area of CareSouth to Central Georgia Health System

**Request Received:** 6/29/2006

**Contact Person:** Kelly C. Tripp (706) 854-7428; Marvin A. Noles (478) 633-6980

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-044 CareSouth HHA Holdings of Georgia, Inc., Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia  
Central Georgia Health System, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding transfer of Jasper County from authorized home health service area of Central Georgia Health System to CareSouth

**Request Received:** 6/29/2006

**Contact Person:** Kelly C. Tripp (706) 854-7428; Marvin A. Noles (478) 633-6980

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-045 John D. Archbold Memorial Hospital, Inc., Thomasville, Thomas County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of a CT scanner

**Request Received:** 6/30/2006

**Contact Person:** Pamela Stephenson, Esq. (404) 815-7400

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 8/1/2006

**DET-2006-046 Fayette Community Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Fayette Hospital, Fayetteville, Fayette County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding establishment of dedicated orthopedic surgical room

**Request Received:** 6/30/2006

**Contact Person:** Davis Dunbar (404) 605-4565

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-047 North Fulton Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a North Fulton Regional Hospital, Roswell, Fulton County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of x-ray/fluoroscopy equipment

**Request Received:** 7/5/2006

**Contact Person:** Iiona Wozniak (770) 751-2540

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-048 St. Francis Hospital, Inc., Columbus, Muscogee County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding re-designating freestanding psychiatric hospital as hospital based

**Request Received:** 7/12/2006

**Contact Person:** Eric Fullerton (706) 596-4077

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-049 Kenneth A. Son, MD, LLC, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding practice of medicine through limited liability company

**Request Received:** 7/13/2006

**Contact Person:** Alan H. Rumph, Esq. (478) 743-4436

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-050 Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Athens Regional Medical Center, Athens, Clarke County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of angiography equipment

**Request Received:** 7/14/2006

**Contact Person:** Linda Della Torre (706) 475-3334

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-051 Cobb Hospital, Inc. d/b/a WellStar Cobb Hospital, Austell, Cobb County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of mammography equipment

**Request Received:** 7/17/2006

**Contact Person:** Deborah L. Pesta (770) 792-1541

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-052 Saint Joseph's Hospital, Inc., Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of CT scanner

**Request Received:** 7/19/2006

**Contact Person:** Mark McDermott (912) 819-5293

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-053 Statesboro HMA, Inc. d/b/a East Georgia Regional Medical Center, Statesboro, Bulloch County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding replacement of existing CT scanner

**Request Received:** 7/24/2006

**Contact Person:** Mike McNair (912) 486-1505

**Determination:** Non-Reviewable as Proposed

**Determination Date:** 9/6/2006

**DET-2006-054 Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Albany, Dougherty County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding digital radiography x-ray unit

**Request Received:** 7/25/2006

**Contact Person:** Lori Jenkins (229) 312-1432

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-055 Henry Medical Center, Inc. , Stockbridge, Henry County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding non-reviewable cost increase for GA 2002-117

**Request Received:** 7/26/2006

**Contact Person:** Rod Medows, Esq. (770) 957-1199

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-056 Gwinnett Medical Center, Lawrenceville, Gwinnett County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding construction of parking lot

**Request Received:** 8/7/2006

**Contact Person:** Mark M. Mullin (770) 682-2280

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-057 Rockdale Medical Center, Conyers, Rockdale County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding reallocation of 4 inpatient beds

**Request Received:** 8/18/2006

**Contact Person:** Stuart Downs (770) 918-3157

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-058 Don R. Connell, M.D., Statesboro, Bulloch County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding multi-specialty clinic formation

**Request Received:** 8/21/2006

**Contact Person:** Don R. Connell, MD (912) 764-5656

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

**DET-2006-059 Coastal Harbor Treatment Center, Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia**

Request for determination regarding increase in bed capacity

**Request Received:** 8/30/2006

**Contact Person:** Ray Heckerman (912) 354-3911

**Determination:** Pending

**Determination Date:**

## **Requests for Extended Implementation/Performance Period**

none

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## PEACHTREE STREET BRIDGE REPLACEMENT AT FIVE POINTS

PROJECT CONSISTS OF 0.19 KILOMETER (0.12 mile) OF BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION AND APPROACHES ON PEACHTREE STREET OVER THE CSX RAILROAD (BETWEEN UNDERGROUND ATLANTA AND THE FIVE POINTS MARTA STATION). FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT THE GEORGIA DOT WEBSITE BELOW OR CALL (770) 986-1011:

<http://www.dot.state.ga.us/specialsubjects/roadconstruction/peachtreestbridge/index.shtml>

- **ATTENTION:** Peachtree Street will be closed to vehicle traffic beginning at 6:00 a.m. on Sunday, July 23, 2006 between Alabama Street and Marietta Street/Decatur Street and will remain closed throughout the duration of the project. The projected re-open date is Monday, February 26, 2008.
- Detours will be in place throughout the duration of the project. Message boards located at strategic points around the project will direct traffic through the detours. (See map detail on the back of this page for detour routes.)
- Some bus routes will be adjusted. For more information on any changes to the bus routes, visit the web site or call the appropriate transit agency below:  
MARTA: <http://www.itsmarta.com> (404) 848-5000  
Cobb Community Transit: <http://www.cobbdot.org/cct.htm> (770) 427-4444  
Gwinnett County Transit: <http://www.gctransit.com> (770) 822-5010  
GRTA Xpress: <http://www.xpressga.com> (404) 463-4782
- Pedestrian detours will also be in place.
- Peachtree Street entrances to the No. 2 Peachtree Street Building, the Wachovia Bank Building and the 5 Points Plaza Building will be closed during construction, however, entrances to those buildings along adjacent streets will be available. MARTA's Five Points Station Peachtree Street Entrance will remain open throughout construction.
- There will be an aesthetically pleasing security fence, as well as concrete barrier around the work area. A 5-foot pedestrian passage will be maintained, but limited, around the exterior of the security fence. No pedestrian traffic will be allowed underneath the bridge during construction.
- Lower Wall Street will be closed throughout the construction phase. A temporary loading dock for the No. 2 Peachtree Street building will be provided on Lower Wall Street on the northwest side of the Peachtree Street Bridge.
- If you have questions please email:

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Thank you for your patience and continued support.

